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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket Number: SIM-01501

To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

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Entitled: DELAY CIRCUIT AND METHOD

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☒   50 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
☒   13 sheets of drawings.
☒   an Assignment of the invention to NEC Corporation and check for $40.00.
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